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PREVIEW: Women's Basketball at Troy

Women's Basketball

Posted: 1/14/2021 11:30:00 AM

Friday, January 15

Opponent: Troy

Location: Troy, Ala. || Trojan Arena

Time: 7 p.m.

IMPORTANT LINKS

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Saturday, January 16

Opponent: Troy

Location: Troy, Ala. || Trojan Arena

Time: 5 p.m.

IMPORTANT LINKS

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Quickly: Georgia Southern returns to the road this weekend, visiting Sun Belt Conference preseason favorite Troy on Friday and Saturday in Alabama ... The Eagles are 6-5 overall and 2-2 in Sun Belt play after splitting a pair of games at home against Appalachian State ... Troy is 5-4 overall and 1-1 in the Sun Belt as the Trojans' last opponent was also Appalachian State, back on January 1 & 2 ... Last weekend's scheduled games at Georgia State for Troy were postponed due to COVID-19 and have been rescheduled for mid-February ... The matchup features two of the top rebounding teams not only in the Sun Belt, but in NCAA Division I. Troy averages 51.00 rebounds per game, tops in the league, while Georgia Southern averages 45.36 rebounds per game, third in the Sun Belt. The Trojans are fourth nationally in rebounds per game and the Eagles are 21st ... Troy has six players averaging double figures per game, led by Alexis Dye's league-leading 18.3 ppg ... [Tatum Barber](#) led the Eagles in the weekend series against Appalachian State, averaging 15.0 ppg and hitting all six of her three-point shots. The senior is now 138 points away from becoming the 25th Eagle to reach 1,000 career points ... Troy leads the overall series, 15-2, and has won 15 straight in the series, including last year's 79-69 win on Jan. 16 in Statesboro ... Georgia Southern's only wins in the series came during the 1978-79 season, when the Eagles won twice in three days against the Trojans - 69-65 on Dec. 11, 1978, and 77-67 on Dec. 13.

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